

REVOLT OF GERMANS IN BRAZIL REPORTED GROWING

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BUENOS AIRES, April 20.—With an airtight Brazilian censorship clapped on reports from Uruguay today declared the German revolt in Brazil's provinces near the Uruguayan boundary was growing. Refugees were pouring into Uruguay, reporting fighting between the German rebels and Government forces in Brazil. The Montevideo reports indicated a serious condition of affairs in probably three Brazilian states.

COUNT TISZA'S RESIGNATION CONFIRMED

ZURICH, April 20.—Vienna dispatches today said it was confirmed that Count Tisza, Hungarian Premier, had resigned.

ARGENTINE WARSHIPS OFF TO MEET GERMANS

BUENOS AIRES, April 10.—The Argentine Government this afternoon dispatched two warships to Comodoro to protect Argentina's oil field from German raiders that were reported off the coast.

\$7,000,000,000 BOND BILL AGREED ON IN CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, April 20.—With minor changes, suggested by Secretary McAdoo, the amendments to the \$7,000,000,000 bond bill were agreed upon by the House and Senate conference committees today. The bill will go to the House on Monday.

KRUPP WORKMEN STRIKE, AMSTERDAM HEARS

LONDON, April 20.—A dispatch from Amsterdam quotes the Telegraaf as saying that strikes have broken out in the great Krupp gun and munitions works at Essen, Germany.

RUSSIAN "LIBERTY LOAN" MEETS WITH SUCCESS

PETROGRAD, April 20.—The Russian public was subscribing liberally today to the Russian "liberty loan," the first issue floated by the new Provisional Government. One Stockholm bank, it was announced, had subscribed to 2,000,000 rubles (more than a million dollars). This was the opening day of the loan subscription.

GOVERNMENT CLOSES CONTRACTS FOR SUPPLIES

CHICAGO, April 20.—The Government closed contracts with packers for 800,000 pounds of bacon at 34 and 35 cents a pound; 60,000 pairs of shoes from Nunn & Bush Shoe Company, Milwaukee, at \$5.10 a pair; 400,000 coats from Racine and Waukesha for \$1,541,759, stipulating that payment would not be made until Congress makes necessary appropriations. Bids will be asked for clothing and maintenance of 500,000 men for six months.

ALL WHEAT FUTURES AT NEW HIGH RECORDS

CHICAGO, April 20.—All wheat futures established new high records soon after the opening today. May touched \$2.44, July was bid at \$2.11 and September sold at \$1.89. Buying by European Allies' representatives was responsible for the upturn, it was said.

BRITISH NOW BUT FIFTY MILES FROM JERUSALEM

LONDON, April 20.—General Murray has resumed his march to Jerusalem and achieved another victory over the Turks, an official statement of the Egyptian front announced today. "On Tuesday we advanced north of Wadi Ghuzze and captured a Turkish position on a front of six and a half miles," the statement said. (Wadi Ghuzze is a river running into the Mediterranean Sea and only a short distance from Gaza. British troops are now within fifty miles of Jerusalem.)

SOCIALISTS DEMAND KAISER STATE WAR AIMS

COPENHAGEN, April 20.—The International Korrespondenz, organ of the German Socialistic majority, today editorially demanded that the German Government immediately publish its war aims to see whether the basis of an understanding with Russia might not be reached.

TEUTONS ATTACK ALLIES IN MACEDONIA

GENEVA, April 20.—With the Allies on the offensive on the western front, the Germans have begun a drive in Macedonia. Dispatches received here today indicated that Germany has not yet lost hope of bringing Greece into the war on her side. The Teutonic attacks against the French, British, Italian and Russian troops in Macedonia are believed to be for political effect as well as for military mastery. Severe fighting is in progress around Monastir and on the Tchevna River, as well as between the Vardar and Struma Rivers.

ALLIES WORK TO END STRIFE WITHIN RUSSIA

STOCKHOLM, April 20.—Powerful influences are at work in Russia to heal the political differences between the radical groups of the Socialist and Labor parties and the Conservatives. Travelers arriving today from Petrograd spoke of "outside agencies," indicating that perhaps some of Russia's allies were attempting to establish absolute unity and a single central government. It is feared that the dissensions may influence the army.

DRAFT BILL DEBATE DELAYED AS SENATE DISCUSSES PRESS CURB

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financial co-operation will be the foremost problem, but other subjects to be considered are:

Diplomatic questions such as ultimate peace terms, munitions, wheat supply, general transportation, blockade of Germany, communications, aviation and anti-submarine work.

On the first matter—diplomatic questions—this Government expects that there will be little difficulty in clearing up such controversial matters as England's ship seizures and mail censoring, as they affected American rights. With respect to ultimate peace terms, Government heads are saying nothing further than the United States is not inclined to make any separate terms with Germany.

Work to increase the munitions supply will be taken up thoroughly, and some arrangement may be made whereby England will increase her own output, giving American firms an opportunity to supply United States needs, though there is no means any idea of shutting off the vital stream of munitions from this country. Wheat supply must be considered. In this connection the British probably will give their experience with liquor in wartime, and their advisers may have much to do with what this Government determines with respect to suggestions for closing distilleries and breweries which now eat up a vast grain supply.

Discussion of the blockade of Germany will be included in the broader topic of general naval co-operation. This co-operation is already under way, the United States having taken over Atlantic patrol work, hitherto in Allied hands.

Anti-submarine work is being developed both here and abroad. The big fleet of wooden ships is probably the key to the whole problem, as Germany cannot build submarines fast enough to keep up with them, and even if she sinks them, she destroys only a small cargo in each case. As America is planning for a big air fleet, too, she will be able to assist the Allies ably in that vital field.

Plans for reception of the commissioners are being worked up rapidly. They will be met here by Secretary Lansing, Counselor Poik and other dignitaries and later will be President Wilson's guests.

U. S. RAILROADS READY FOR SERVICE IN WAR

Plans for Mobilization Completed by National Association's Executive Committee

NEW YORK, April 20.—Mobilization of the railroads of the United States for war purposes was completed today by the American Railway Association. The executive committee, presided over by Patrick Harbo, announced that a general committee had been appointed to conduct the entire mobilization work. The members will be chosen from the executive officers of the principal roads in the country. The member probably will be chosen from each of the six military divisions of the United States.

Committee will be divided in sub-committees to handle mobilization of equipment, transportation, accounting and traffic.

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MAY HALT TRANSIT UNTIL SUIT IS OVER

Fluck Will Ask Temporary Injunction Until Main Trial Is Finished

MAYOR AND AIDS CONFER

A preliminary injunction restraining the city from continuing construction of its high-speed transit lines will be requested, according to an announcement made today by Otto Wolff, Jr., attorney for Frank W. Fluck, plaintiff in the taxpayer's suit against the city.

Application for the injunction will be filed in Court of Common Pleas No. 4, probably tomorrow, said Mr. Wolff. If granted the injunction would block transit work until a decision favorable to the city was given.

This turn of affairs put a new light on the transit situation. Director Twining, of the Department of Transit, previously had announced today that the taxpayer's suit would not interfere with work on the city's high-speed system.

Mayor Smith called a "council of war" this afternoon to decide what steps the city shall take in the transit fight. He went into consultation in his office with Chairman Gaffney, of Council Finance Committee; City Solicitor Connelly and Transit Director Twining. Luncheon was served and arrangements made for a protracted session.

The Mayor announced he had called the conference that the course of the city might be determined, now that its transit plans have been attacked by Fluck. The City Solicitor, he said, as the law officer of the city, would be the one to announce the steps taken following the conference.

The suit, in the form in which it was filed by Frank W. Fluck, not act as a preliminary injunction automatically forcing the city to halt all work, Director Twining has been advised. Under the present status the city authorities have fifteen days to enter an appearance in Common Pleas Court No. 4 and thirty days to file an answer.

Fluck's suit would restrain the city from proceeding with any of the lines of the system and would likewise restrain the city from borrowing any of the \$27,000,000 authorized for port and transit development, excepting the \$2,000,000 for which bonds have already been sold.

A rumor that politicians were backing the transit suit was denied by both Fluck and his attorney, Charles L. Fluck, president of the Northwest Business Men's Association, brother of the complainant and a transit obstructionist for several years, also declared that the suit was simply in line with his transit views as expressed in the past and that there was nothing ulterior back of it.

The suit is based upon the single legal argument that the election at which the loan was authorized was not held legally and that, therefore, the loan itself is illegal. To proceed with the present plans, the bill of complaint avers, would mean an increase in taxation and a fare above five cents.

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MAY HALT BATTLESHIP WORK IN YARDS HERE

New York Shipbuilding Company Ready to Alter Naval Construction Plans

If Secretary of the Navy Daniels carries out a program now under consideration, for stopping work on battleships and battle cruisers which could not be completed for several years in order to concentrate on smaller merchant marine craft, William Cramp & Sons will not have to halt any Government construction. The firm is not making any battleships or cruisers, it was said by officials today. However, there are in process of construction at the Cramp yards two scout cruisers and two destroyers. The yards have orders for six more destroyers.

The New York Shipbuilding Company is building three battleships for the Government. One of these, however, is nearly completed and probably would be finished anyhow. Work on the other two, however, will stop immediately if Daniels issues the order he is contemplating.

J. P. MORGAN, GUARDED, VISITS BANKER HERE

Financier Calls on Levi L. Rue, Fellow Member of Federal Board

J. P. Morgan visited Philadelphia today. Shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon he made a call on Levi L. Rue, president of the Philadelphia National Bank. Mr. Rue said the call was largely personal, that Mr. Morgan and he were associated on the Federal Advisory Board, of which Mr. Rue is vice president and James B. Forgan, Chicago banker, is president. At a recent meeting of the board in Washington Mr. Rue presided, and is acting as president until Mr. Forgan recovers from an illness.

Immediately on leaving the Philadelphia National Bank Mr. Morgan walked across the street to Draxel, Morgan & Co. He was closely followed by a husky protector, in whose hip pocket there was a very perceptible not to say suspicious lump.

UPSTATE EMBEZZLERS GET HEAVY SENTENCES

Frank Larned and Son, of Wilkes-Barre, Took \$173,000 From Poor Clients

WILKES-BARRE, April 20.—Frank W. Larned and son, Lewis M. Larned, real estate brokers, went before Judge John M. Garman today and pleaded guilty to charges of embezzlement and conspiracy in five of the 193 cases against them. They were sentenced in only five cases. Father and son were each fined \$500, ordered to pay the costs and to spend five years in the Eastern Penitentiary. In addition, Frank W. Larned was disbanded from practice in the Luzerne courts.

The Larneds misappropriated about \$173,000 funds entrusted to their keeping by many poor clients. The assets of the father and son will not give the victims more than three cents on the dollar.

INTRIGUE OF GERMANY IN MEXICO DENIED

MEXICO CITY, April 20.—General Hay, president of the Mexican Congress, today declared he knew of no German influence that was being brought to bear on members of Congress to oppose General Carranza's policies or plans of neutrality. "It is true," General Hay said, "that the audience in the galleries gave a demonstration for the German Minister when General Carranza read his message. I immediately called them to order, however, and warned that any manifestation in favor of or against any diplomat was prohibited and that a repetition of the demonstration accorded the German Minister would not be allowed."

"We are duty bound to follow the policy of Carranza for strict neutrality in essence as well as in form. I have no knowledge of pretensions on the part of German agents to influence members of Congress to oppose the neutrality policy or to urge a German alliance."

"The Congress is merely an electoral college and is not legally capacitated to treat with international questions. We have not even appointed committees."

CREWS DESERT; FEAR U-BOATS

RIO JANEIRO, April 20.—The crews of two Brazilian merchant ships at Lisbon have deserted rather than risk death from German submarines on the voyage home, says a dispatch from the Portuguese capital today.

Man's Body Found in Schuylkill

The body of a white man was found today floating in the Schuylkill River under the Girard avenue bridge. Identification was impossible. The body was taken to the Morgue.

12 German Aircraft Shot Down

Paris, April 20.—Ten German aeroplanes and two captive balloons were shot down by the French on April 16, the War Office stated today.

CENTRAL POWERS FACE REVOLUTION

Revolt Within Six Months Foreseen by the London Morning Post

FOOD SITUATION CRITICAL

LONDON, April 20.—Revolution within six months is threatened in Germany and Austria-Hungary, says the Morning Post today. The German allies, especially the Dual Monarchy, Bulgaria and Turkey, are nearing collapse, according to the Post. The article in part follows:

It is common knowledge that Germany and the Dual Monarchy, and still more Bulgaria and Turkey, are drifting rapidly toward military and economic exhaustion. In the Dual Monarchy disaster confronts the people. The question of peace is one of extreme urgency for the Central Powers, for within six months' time or even less famine and revolution probably will sweep away the Hohenzollerns and the Hapsburgs in one common catastrophe.

The strike situation in Germany seems less acute today. Advisers from Amsterdam and Copenhagen said that striking workmen, especially ammunition makers, hopeful through the Government's promises of more food and overworked by the threat of the German War Office to "intervene" if agitations are kept up, are returning to work.

A dispatch from Copenhagen quotes the Berlin newspaper Tageblatt as saying that 300,000 men were idle in Germany, but that many of them have returned to work and others have promised to do so. The German Socialist newspaper Vorwaerts, of Berlin, estimates that 300 ammunition plants were affected by the food and labor strikes.

American Woman Dies in Brazil

Mrs. Amanda L. Baumgardner, mother of Ira C. Baumgardner, Brazilian representative of the Fidelity Trust Company, of Philadelphia, died at her home in San Paulo, Brazil, after a brief illness. She was eighty-six years old. Mrs. Baumgardner was born in Soudersburg, Pa., and was married to David L. Baumgardner, who died several years ago. Since then she has made her home with her son in San Paulo.

SUGGESTS PENNSYLVANIA UNIT IN ROOSEVELT FORCE

John W. Frazier Asks Governor Brumbaugh to Aid in Equipment of Division

Pennsylvania should unite with New York in raising a division of American soldiers to be led by former President Roosevelt for immediate service in Europe, according to John W. Frazier, Philadelphia attorney and secretary of the Meade Memorial Committee.

Mr. Frazier today sent the following letter to Governor Brumbaugh: Hon. Martin G. Brumbaugh, Governor of Pennsylvania, Harrisburg, Pa.

Dear Sir: It is my confident belief that political considerations at Washington will preclude the patriotic offer of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to raise and lead a division of effective American soldiers for immediate service in France against Germany, and believing that the moral as well as the military effect of such a division of well-seasoned, thoroughly equipped troops in such a cause and on such a field would be incalculable in good results, I earnestly recommend that Pennsylvania promptly unite with the State of New York in raising and equipping such a division of American fighting soldiers, and having them sent to France for immediate service in this world-wide war now waged with such wonderful tenacity by Germany.

Gives Auto Ambulance to France

TRENTON, April 20.—William Buckman, of this city, has given the French Government a fully equipped automobile ambulance, to be known as "The City of Trenton." He will maintain the ambulance and its accessories for one year.

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